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AFFAIRS OF STATE.

Speaker Carlisle Completes His Work of Selecting Committees of the House.

The Programme in Both Houses of Congress—Important Supreme Court Decision.

General Sheridan's Indian Policy—California Complains Against Commissioner Sparks—Other News.

THE CONGRESSIONAL PROGRAMME.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The House committees will be named, it is said, immediately after the reading of the journal today. The call of States for the introduction of bills and resolutions will then be resumed, and if the average of the day before adjournment is kept up at least 3,000 bills in addition to the 1,004 already introduced will be sent to the clerk. The call will probably last until late Wednesday afternoon. If the Hoar Presidential Succession bill is referred to a committee the House will probably adjourn on Thursday until next Monday. The bill to fix the salaries of Judges of District Courts and the resolution of inquiry with regard to the action of the authorities of Dakota, are the unfinished business of the Senate. The committees of that body are expected to begin work in earnest during the week, and it is expected that not much legislative work will be undertaken in the Senate other than the consideration of the two measures named. Probably a large part of the time of the Senate will be spent with closed doors in the endeavor to dispose of the accumulated nominations.

ANOTHER COMPLAINT AGAINST SPARKS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The State of California filed with Secretary Lamar yesterday complaints against Commissioner Sparks for not preparing patents for lands granted to the State by Congress and subsequently confirmed to her in a special act, approved to her by Secretary Browning in 1866, and certified to the State by Commissioner Joseph S. Wilson in the same year. Commissioner Sparks has recently decided that the title to the lands may be still further contested by any one desiring to claim a part of them under other laws.

CLEVELAND SAID TO BE HOSTILE TO CROOK.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—It is said here that the President is very much dissatisfied with the course of General Crook in regard to the Apaches, and that he is anxious to [illegible] and put General Miles in his place. General Sheridan opposes the change and his opposition delays it, but, it is understood, the change will be made before long.

MUST PAY HIS FINE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—The United States Supreme Court affirmed yesterday the decision of the lower courts in the case of Herman Presser, plaintiff in error, against the State of Illinois, in error to the Supreme Court of Illinois. Presser and other members of the Lehr and Wehr verein were arrested for parading in December, 1878, the streets of Chicago, carrying arms without a license from the Governor and while the society of which they were members formed no part of the military forces of the State. Presser was indicted, tried, found guilty and fined ten dollars and costs. The case was carried to the State Supreme Court and the judgment was affirmed. The case was taken by writ of error to this court, which holds that a State has the right to prevent the armed assemblage of its citizens and their parading as military companies when not organized as such under the laws of the State or of the United States. To deny this right, it says, would be to deny the right to disperse assemblages organized for sedition and treason and the right to suppress armed mobs bent on riot and rapine.

SHERIDAN AND THE INDIANS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—Lieutenant-General Sheridan has written a letter giving additional information explanatory of the recommendations of his last annual report in regard to the Indian question. In respect to his policy he says: "The ultimate development of the suggested policy would, as the Indians advance in civilization and intelligence, result in the return to them of the principal derived from the sale of their lands, which, until such measure were authorized by act of Congress, would be held as a trust for their benefit, and the income applied to their support."

NINE THOUSAND NEW POSTMASTERS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.—During the month of January the commissions of over one hundred Presidential postmasters will expire. The terms of about the same number terminated in December, but comparatively few changes were made. It is said that a large number of nominations will be made as soon as Congress meets. Since the 1st of July there have been over 9,000 changes made in fourth class offices, of which there are over 49,000.

Mr. Carnegie's Hopefulness.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 5.—Mr. Andrew Carnegie, of this city, predicts a revival of the steel-rail trade. He said yesterday in an interview that rails are now selling at $35 a ton, against $25 and $26 last year. He attributes the improvement to the fact that railroad companies are being compelled to replace the old tracks with new and that a new era of railroad building has set in in the Northwest and Southwest, having Chicago as its center or base. One company alone has just placed an order for seventy thousand tons of rails for the extension of its system.

A Wreck on the Oregon Coast.

ASTORIA, Ore., Jan. 5.—The fishing schooner Carrie Lake was wrecked Sunday night on Sand beach, twelve miles north of the Columbia River entrance. The crew of five men started for shore in a small boat, which capsized. Captain John Exor, Mate Jamison and the Chinese cook were drowned. The other two succeeded in getting back to the schooner, and were taken off by the life-saving crew.

Depression at Chester.

CHESTER, Pa., Jan. 5.—It is said that only about three hundred men are employed in the Roach shipyard at this place, against from fifteen hundred to two thousand employed before Roach's suspension, and that two-thirds of these do not earn over eighty cents a day. Trade has fallen off fifty per cent.

A Paper Company Fails.

VANDALIA, Ill., Jan. 5.—The Vandalia Paper Mill Company made an assignment yesterday to their creditors, appointing S. M. Leaves and F. A. Franklin assignees. Liabilities, $40,000; assets, $80,000.

BUCKEYE STATESMEN.

Organization of the Ohio Legislature—The Election Cases from Hamilton County the First Snag Struck.

COLUMBUS, O., Jan. 5.—The Legislature organized in both branches yesterday by selecting the caucus nominees—John Entrekin for Speakership of the House and Senator O'Neill for President of the Senate pro tem. The Governor's message, treating in detail of the public works and institutions of the State, was read in only one branch, owing to the time being taken up in the consideration of the Cincinnati cases. Both halls were crowded with spectators, prominent among those present being gentlemen who are looking after the interests of Senator Sherman.

The House adopted a resolution referring the election returns on representations from Hamilton County to the Committee on Privileges and Elections, to investigate and report by resolution as early as possible. The committee is given power to send for persons and papers. The Democratic members from Hamilton County now occupying seats are privileged to appear before the committee and produce testimony to maintain their right to seats.

The most of the afternoon was spent in the discussion of the resolution. The Republican members do not claim that an investigation or contest is proposed in the resolution, but an examination of the face of the returns, with a view to making a prima-facie case against the Democratic members who presented certificates and were sworn in. There is a division of opinion as to whether the examination will be deliberate, or whether a report will be made in the next week or two. The only political significance in an early report would be to seat the ten Republican members, if that should be the finding of the committee, and thus increase the vote which will be cast for Senator Sherman for re-election.

FRANCE'S NEW PREMIER.

De Freycinet Consents to Form a New Cabinet—His Policy Is Reform and Retrenchment—Biographical.

PARIS, Jan. 5.—M. de Freycinet has concluded to form a new Cabinet and is now engaged in the task of selecting the members. His programme includes a reform of the budget, reform of the Administration and the organization of a system of government in Annam and Tonquin reducing the protectorate to the smallest necessary limits.

Several members of the late Ministry will accept portfolios in the Cabinet of M. de Freycinet. It is probable that the only new Ministers will be M. Constans as Minister of the Interior; M. Spuller, Minister of Public Instruction and General Davout as Minister of War.

[Charles Louis de Saulces de Freycinet was born at Foix November 14, 1828. He was educated as an engineer, and was employed by the Government, on his graduation from the polytechnic school in 1848, on several important public works. He was engaged afterward in railroad construction in France, and later by the Government in various scientific and industrial missions in France and in other countries. After the revolution he was made Prefect at Farn-et-Garonne. When Gambetta became Minister of War he chose De Freycinet as his delegate and instructed him with the supreme control of the department. M. De Freycinet was elected Senator by the Department of the Seine in 1876. He held the portfolio of Public Works in the Dufaure Ministry of 1877 and in the Waddington Ministry of 1879. He was closely allied in politics with M. Gambetta. He at one time formed a Cabinet and held office as Premier for a short time.]

Driven to a Suicidal Attempt.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 5.—Adolph Schoenleber, aged sixty-five years, a wealthy ex-furniture dealer of this city, attempted suicide by cutting his throat with a razor at seven o'clock yesterday morning, and he is in a dying condition. Schoenleber was arrested late Saturday night on the charge of criminal libel, preferred by Christian Ritter, a furniture dealer who brought suit for $10,000 damages. He was released on $5,000 bail. The complaint charges Schoenleber with having circulated slanderous stories detrimental to Ritter's character. Schoenleber was to have been rearrested to-day at the instance of other parties. He came to Milwaukee thirty years ago and is worth $100,000.

A Costly Strike.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 5.—There was a general resumption of work in the river coal mines yesterday at the reduced rate. A further reduction in wages is probable in the spring. Mine operators assert that during the four-months' strike Pittsburgh has lost its prestige in the lower markets, and can only regain it by underbidding all competitors. It is estimated that the 7,000 miners engaged in the strike lost in wages nearly $2,000,000. The loss to the operators in damage to tipples, rolling stock, barges, etc., by the long idleness can not be estimated.

They Will Retaliate.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., Jan. 5.—The saloon-keepers, against whom the Sunday law is being rigidly enforced, have sworn out nearly one hundred warrants against those engaged in all trades and professions who do business on Sunday. The whisky men say they have been discriminated against, and propose to test the law to its full scope. The warrants include newspaper publishers, liverymen and street-car company officials.

A New Road in Prospect.

TOPEKA, Kan., Jan. 5.—Incorporation papers have been filed in this city for the Chicago, Kansas & Nebraska Railway, with a capital stock of $15,000,000, which proposes to build a line and six branches aggregating seven hundred miles in length. The incorporators are closely identified with the Rock Island Road. The main track is to be run from Larkin, Kan., through nine counties, including Reno.

France's Treaty with Madagascar.

PARIS, Jan. 5.—A dispatch from Tamatave, dated December 20, says: "The treaty of peace between France and Madagascar, it is reported, cedes territory to France, surrenders the northwest ports which France originally claimed and gives the French Government supremacy over the foreign relations of Madagascar."

Caucus Nominees in New York.

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 5.—The Legislative caucuses were held to-night. For Speaker of the Assembly the Republicans named James W. Husted and the Democrats W. F. Sheehan. For President pro tem of the Senate the Republicans nominated Edmund L. Pitts and the Democrats James F. Prince.

Killed by a Thunderbolt.

DALLAS, Tex., Jan. 5.—Saturday night during a terrific storm a bolt of lightning struck the house of Samantha Logan, southeast of the city, shattered the bed on which Mrs. Logan was reposing, setting the bed on fire and instantly killing the unfortunate woman.

A CRUEL BLUNDER.

The Charge Against the Knoch Children of Murdering Their Mother Proven False—The Old Lady's Skull Was Fractured at the Post Mortem—The Prisoners Released.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 5.—The arrest of the two Knoch boys and their three sisters and Mr. Schweitzer, husband of one of the sisters, because of the report that Mrs. Christina Knoch had died of a fractured skull, turns out to be a gross injustice to the children of the dead woman, as on re-examination by other doctors it was announced that in all probability the two fractures of Mrs. Knoch's skull were made by the county physician at the post-mortem on Saturday night. The six prisoners were immediately released. The great excitement at Woodmere has in a measure subsided, and is followed by almost a feeling of horror on the part of many who were foremost in talking of the tar and feathers and lynching, and now realize how near they were to committing a terrible crime in visiting punishment upon innocent people. The physicians who made the examination yesterday say they have no doubt that the cause of Mrs. Knoch's sudden death was pneumonia. It is probable that many suits will grow out of the arrests, but the police do not express any fear of them, as they believe the imprisoned Knochs do not wish the publicity which would follow any claims for damages.

The death of the old gentleman Knoch, and the son who was shot and thrown into the lake, and also the assassination of Frank Knoch and his wife and two children, whose bodies were burned in their homes two weeks ago, are still mysteries. There is much speculation as to whether Mrs. Knoch was really troubled in mind by any guilty knowledge of how the murders were committed, and as to whether she was about to confess when the hand of death was laid upon her.

PURELY AMERICAN.

The American Opera Company, Under the Lead of Theodore Thomas, Scores a Brilliant Success at Its Initial Performance.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The American Opera Company, under the leadership of Theodore Thomas, opened its first season at the Academy of Music last night, presenting Herman Goetz's "Taming of the Shrew" for the first time in this country. Every seat and every foot of available standing-room in the immense auditorium was occupied, and never was there a more brilliant audience assembled in this city. The singers, music, scenery, dresses and mountings were new and complete. From first to last the music was taking, and the great beauty of many of the lyric scenes commanded instant and enthusiastic recognition from the audience. Last night the cast was

Baptista	William H. Hamilton.
Katherine	Pauline L'Allemand.
Bianca	Kate Bensburg
Hortensio	Alonzo E. Stoddard.
Lucretio	William H. Fessenden.
Petruchio	George Fox.
Grumio	E. J. O'Mahoney.
A Tailor	John Howson.

The chorus numbered one hundred and ten voices, made up of thirty-six sopranos, twenty-four contraltos, twenty-eight tenors and twenty-two bassos.

At the fall of the curtain on the last act the applause was wildly enthusiastic, and Theodore Thomas was compelled to appear on the stage and bow his thanks. For the season the total sales up to last evening are $53,000.

RAILROAD CROSSING WAR.

Large Forces of Men Squabbling Over an Important Right of Way in Michigan.

HOWELL, Mich., Jan. 5.—There is pending in court a dispute about the right of the Toledo, Ann Arbor & Northern Michigan Railroad to cross the Michigan, Detroit, Lansing & Northern tracks at this place. On Sunday one hundred and fifty men extended the Ann Arbor tracks through a cut which they made under the Lansing Road. Yesterday morning five hundred employes of the Lansing attempted to refill the cut. They had an armed contingent. The one hundred and fifty Ann Arbor men soon afterward reappeared and, although they had no arms of any description, they last evening succeeded in driving off the Lansing force. They followed this victory up by cutting the wires of Lansing line and tearing up the track for half a mile on each side of the cut.

The traffic on the Lansing Road between Genoa and Fowlerville is interrupted. What the next step will be is a matter of doubt. An appeal by the Lansing people was made to Governor Alger yesterday for assistance, but he declared that he had no authority to call out the militia except at the request of the Sheriff, which has not yet been made.

Defaulter McNeil's Case.

CLINTON, Mass., Jan. 5.—The affairs of the Lancaster National Bank is the sole topic. The notes taken by the absconding President McNeil on the night of his departure, and which aggregate about $24,000 face value, are now said to be notes discounted by the bank, and on which money had been obtained. Besides this, there is said to be a package containing upward of $50,000 of the assets of the bank missing. Various reasons are advanced as to why these securities were taken away. One rumor is that there is a conspiracy soon to be uncovered, and that McNeil is the only one of the parties interested. National Bank Examiner Gatchell says the books of the bank have been falsified, and it is slow work to analyze the accounts and detect fraudulent entries.

Shot Dead by Robbers.

EL PASO, Tex., Jan. 5.—Several armed men entered the office of Bossillier & Robert, at Paso del Norte, yesterday, and ordered Mr. Robert, who was alone, to open the safe. As Mr. Robert started to comply his partner, Bossillier, entered and interfered. The robbers then shot Bossillier dead, badly wounded Robert, and escaped. The murdered man was one of the most prominent citizens of Paso del Norte.

Serious Accident.

HARRISBURG, Pa., Jan. 5.—Last evening a freight train on the Pennsylvania Railroad was crossing the bridge at Sherman Creek when one of the spans, weakened by the high water, gave way and precipitated the engine and eight cars into the stream. One man was killed, another badly hurt and four are missing.

The Balkan Conference Abandoned.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—The Balkan conference at Constantinople has been abandoned, Russia refusing to guarantee the independence of Bulgaria and Eastern Roumelia.

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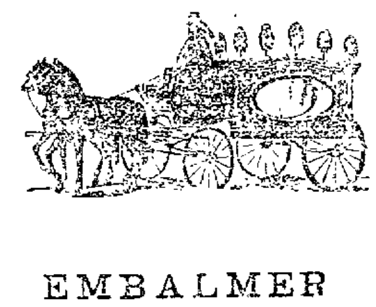

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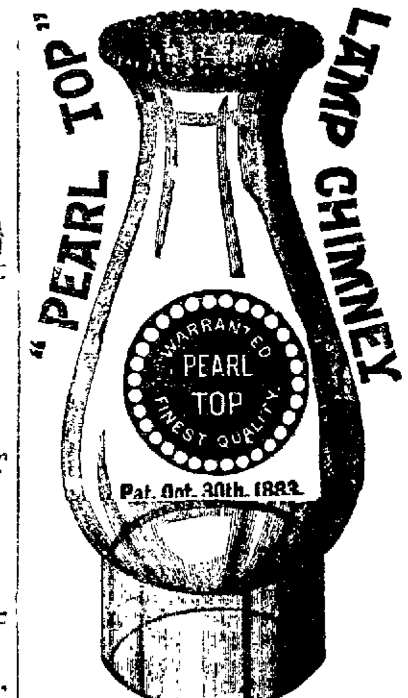

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FARIES' MACHINE SHOPS.

A stranger visiting Decatur would have but slight conception of its multifarious manufacturing industries, as there are tall brick chimneys or smoke stacks peeping out from nearly every nook and corner within its limits, and it requires close observation on the part of THE REVIEW reporter in his rounds, to not overlook some of the many factories or shops located even to the outmost borders of the city.

Such in fact was the case in regard to finding these machine shops, being located about one-half mile north of the Union depot on the corner of Herkimer and Clayton streets, a portion of the city, which has sprung up like magic, where only a year or so ago there was but an open prairie dotted with a few small tenement houses.

Mr Robert Faries, proprietor of these shops, was formerly the founder of the Decatur Novelty works, located on Morgan street. In 1882 he commenced operations where he is now situated. The building is a new brick structure, two stories, and conveniently commodious for the business. It is supplied with an elevator for the convenience of conveying wares from one floor to another. These shops are engaged in manufacturing everything belonging to the hardware line, special machinery, and repairing. It also manufactures check-rowers and makes a specialty of manufacturing and furnishing the trade with check-rower wire. The first floor is utillized mainly for the latter purpose, all the machinery of which was invented and constructed by Mr. Faries. The second floor is devoted to various machinery use, wood work, etc.

In the busy season, about twenty men are given employment in this institution, and it is supplied with two eight-horse power engines. The entire building is heated by steam, and other conveniences are in due harmony.

CARRIAGE AND ROAD CART FACTORY,

Wayne & Anderson proprietors. This industry was established in the fall of 1873, and is situated on the corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets. The building is a substantial three-story brick structure, and 50 by 65 feet on the ground; besides a black smith shop which is twenty feet front and extends the whole length of the building.

This is a live, wide-awake business firm, who handle from seven to eight hundred vehicles annually, the products of which, is estimated to be worth about $50,000.

In the busy season some twenty men are placed upon the pay roll.

The firm makes a specialty in manufacturing road carts. A batch of material sufficient to construct two hundred of the latter, has recently been taken out and placed ready for the operators' use.

THE Dolphin is to go to Fortress Monroe in a day or so in search of more rough weather.

JOSHUA B. LIPPINCOTT, head of the book publishing house of the J. B Lippincott company, died yesterday at Philadelphia.

A DOG upset a lamp in the hat factory of Dunlap & Co. in Brooklyn on Monday and damaged the factory by flames to the amount of $250.000

THE forge shop and rolling mill of the E. D. Clapp company. of Auburn, New York, was totally destroyed by fire Monday night. The lossis $40,000; insured for $28,000.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has evidently never heard of the fate of one John M. Hamilton, of Illinois, or he would have remained as quiet as General Grant, on the newspaper question.

E. E. BONDINOT, a member of the Illinois legislature residing in Vermillion county, has resigned the position to accept the office of tax collector of Danville. Dollars, not glory, for him.

GOVERNOR OGLESBY yesterday appointed C. H. Lemon, of Pinckneyville, as public administrator of Perry county, and George C. McCrone, of Quincy, public administrator of Adams county.

THE Ohio house of representatives yesterday authorized the committee on privileges and elections to employ a stenographer and incur other expenses in investigating the Hamilton county election cases.

THE Lafayette Bulletin takes time by the forelock, and nominates Hon. Daniel W. Voorhees for president in 1888. The editor must have a good deal of faith in the old adage about the early bird and the worm.

THE president sent the following nominations to the senate yesterday: John Higgins, collector of customs, district of Natchez, Mississippi; James Curran of Maryland, supervising inspector of vessels, third district; Wiley J. Tinnin, surveyor of customs for San Francisco; Wm. H. McArgie of Mississippi, consul of the United States at San Juan Del Norte; Willis H. Patch of Maine, consul of the United States at Stephen, N. B.; P. M. Jewett of Massachusetts, consul at Sivas; Orlando V. Powers of Michigan, to be associate judge of the supreme court of Utah. He also sent in about fifty new postmasters.

THE New York legislature convened yesterday. In his message, Gov. Hill recommends a new charter for New York City and the passage of laws that will effectually prevent evading the payment of personal taxes.

CHICAGO has a new weekly paper called "The Hog." In announcing its launch upon the sea of journalism, an exchange gravely states that it is to be devoted to the pork interests of the great west, and should not be mistaken for a society journal.

THE number of commissions issued to fourth-class postmasters since the 4th of March, is 13,425. Most of these were appointed after General Stevenson was commissioned first-assistant postmaster general, and the country postmasters have him to thank for them.

THE Fall River Advocate has figured it out that it costs ten thousand dollars to convert a South Sea Cannibal to Christianity, and that he is then only worth nine dollars a week in a dime show. The theory of the advocate is that Mr. Cannibal "costs more than he comes to," or, in other words, that "the game is not worth the candle."

LE DUC, late commissioner of agriculture, is said to be engaged in farming in Southern Dakota. When he was spending government money he thought Georgia and Florida were the garden spots of the world, but when it comes to spending his own funds he seeks a different latitude. It is sometimes very difficult for high public functionaries to be consistent.

AMONG the fifty postmasters appointed yesterday by President Cleveland and sent to the senate for confirmation, were the following in Illinois: John O. George at Dwight; D. W. Gould, Moline; James Haines, Pekin; Joseph Dunham, Geneseo; Robert McNeil. Rock Falls; John Westerman, Carlinville; Thomas Huenebry, Braidwood and Miles J. Finley Streator.

THE Peoria National Democrat makes the following plain point on our "protective" tariff: "When a bushel of wheat raised by a farmer is sent to England in exchange for a yard of cloth, the farmer only receives two-thirds of a yard because the government cuts off one-third of it by reason of the tariff. As the tariff restricts the importation of English goods, the English government, as a retaliatory measure, now proposes to lay a tariff upon American productions. This, of course, will cut off another third of the yard, leaving the farmer only one-third of a yard instead of the whole yard he would receive were it not for the tariff. And yet, strange as it may seem, there are farmers who are in favor of the protective tariff."

Franks Captured.

Yesterday morning Sheriff Foster and Marshal Mason received word from Terre Haute that Harry Franks had been taken into custody there for a highway robbery, committed here several weeks ago. The victim, it will be remembered, was John McCormick, who was assaulted and robbed one night near Mills & Harry's lumber yard, by Harry Franks and George Jones. They went with McCormick, and after getting him drunk, took him to the above named spot, and with a piece of brick tied in a hankerchief, beat him on the head until he was insensible. They then took his silver watch and quite a sum of money, and as they were making off with the "boodle," McCormick came to and partially arose His two assailants returned and again beat him on the head until he was insensible. Jones was captured and placed in jail to await the action of the grand jury in default of bail in the sum of two hundred dollars, but Franks made his escape, and has only just been captured. Marshal Mason went to Springfield yesterday afternoon for a requisition and will go at once to Terre Haute for the prisoner. Franks' home is in Champaign and his parents are said to be in good circumstances.

Installation at Oreana.

The newly elected officers of FriendshipLodge of Knights of Pythias, were installed last evening. The ceremony was performed by Mr. I. D. Walker, deputy grand chancellor of this division. He was accompanied to the town by Messrs. H. W. Waggoner, I. A. Buckingham, W. P. Shade, Henry McClellan, E. Jett, A. T. Grist, George Hauss and W. W. Foster. The installation was private, but those who attended from here were highly pleased. The following officers were installed:

Dr. G. W. Drury, chancellor commander.
G. E. Sheary, vice commander.
C. C. Mansfield, prelate.
Ross Hockaday, keeper of records and seals.
James Shastan, master at arms.
John Scott, master of finance.
H. B. Kuhns, master of exchequer.

The visitors from Decatur returned home last night after the installation.

CONGRESS.

THE SENATE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 5.—The senate met at noon, Senator Sherman president pro tem, in the chair.

The credentials of Senator John W. Daniels, of Virginia, were read and laid on the table.

The bill legalizing the election of the Ninth Territorial Legislative assembly, of Wyoming, was favorably reported on and passed.

A bill was introduced by Mr. Butler providing for the erection of monuments to Abraham Lincoln and General Grant.

Senator Cullom introduced a bill to facilitate army promotions by retiring on their own application, officers who served in the rebellion.

A bill to increase pensions for soldiers who lost both arms, both legs, their eyesight or who are totally helpless was introduced by Senator Miller.

Senator Logan introduced bills to provide for the adjustment of the accounts of laborers, workmen and mechanics arising under the eight-hour law; also, to confer military rank on telegraph operators in the military service; also to inquire into the intellectual and mechanical progress of the colored people since 1865.

Senator Morgan introduced a bill for the substitution of silver dollars in place of gold coin and currency in several reserve funds held in the treasury.

A resolution introduced by Senator Hoar requesting the president to extend extradition treaties to cover embezzlement and like breaches of trust, was referred to the committee on foreign relations.

THE HOUSE.

Contrary to expectation Speaker Carlisle did not announce his committees when the house met. They will be given out to-morrow.

Under the call of states several bills were introduced, among others being one by Representative Eldridge, of Michigan, to put all lumber on the free list.

Representative Cutcheon, of Michigan, introduced a bill to reform the civil service and preserve the constitutional distinctions between legislative and executive duties by the organization of a bureau of civil appointments.

Representative Long, of Massachusetts, introduced a bill to repeal the tenure of office act, and to establish more life saving stations on the sea and lake coasts.

Officers Installed

At a regular meeting last evening Decatur lodge No. 65, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, installed the following officers for the ensuing year:

E. C. Leighton, noble grand.
J. A. Corey, vice grand.
D. Aungst, recording secretary.
E. N. Leib, permanent secretary.
M. Eichinger, treasurer,
C. J. Hartley, right support to noble grand.
R. J. Bills, left support to noble grand.
W. Metcalf, right support to vice grand.
D. E. Baldwin, left support to vice grand.
William Eaton, warden.
R. G. Oram, conductor.
J. H. Bishop, L. S. S.
F. P. Roddy, R, S, S.
S. D. McLain, outside guard.

Progress lodge No. 141, Daughters of Rebekah, installed the following officers at a recent meeting:

Mrs. Stafford, noble grand.
Miss M. Wheeler, vice grand.
Mrs. A. Martin, recording secretary.
Mrs. Ella Miller, permanent secretary.
Miss J. Eaton, treasurer.
Mrs. J. M. Martin, outside guard.
Mrs. Harris, inside guard.
Miss Mary E. Bills, chaplain.

Rev. A. Bradshaw's Inhaler is Best

Dr. Cook's Inhaling Balm, as a remedy for cough, head, throat and lung ailments, is reliable, and has been tested, and is recommended by the following persons: A. W. Conklin and wife, J. M. Dawson, S. March, Mrs. M. Einstein, Mrs. D. Martin, J. L. Adams, Mrs. S. Hamsher, Mrs. L. L. Haworth, Wm. Bowers, J. H. Cunningham,John Stickle,Mrs. M. Forstmeyer, Mrs. R. Carmine; Mr. M. P. Murphy, cured of consumption—living on South Main street; C. Covey, of Leroy, McLean county, cured of asthma. J. C. Parcel, M, D., of Tuscola, says, "Bradshaw's Inhalation cured my son of consumption." David Shellabarger says, "I have tried Bradshaw's Inhalation, and find it a good thing." A. W. Newton, M. D. Grandview, Edgar county, speaks in the highest praise of my Inhaler and Inhalation. Dr. Roe, of Dudley, Illinois. says, "I give Bradshaw's Inhaler the preference. I am satisfied it can be used to great profit in throat, bronchial and lung diseases. Dr. Cook's Inhaling Balm is good."

j1d1w A. BRADSHAW.

Coal Haulers.

You can always get Decatur coal at our North Water street coal yard as cheap as at the shaft, and save a long drive through the mud.

j3dtf DECATUR COAL Co.

The Markets.

CHICAGO,. Jan 4, 1885.

	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats
January		35⅛	29
February	83⅞	36½	28
May	84⅝	39¾	31⅝

WIT AND WISDOM.

—"Alone in London" to-night.

—Telephone J. W. Baker for Decatur coal. d3dtf

—Fresh eggs and butter at Lehman & Bolen's. d27tf

—Fine preserve and jellies at Lehman & Bolen's. d27tf

—Genuine Lehigh coal, bright and clean, at McClelland's. d11dtf

—Hell is paved with protested notes.—[Whitehall Times.

—It is easier to reap sin than it is to repent.—[Whitehall Times.

—Lehman & Bolen have some pure, old-fashioned buck-wheat flour, d27tf

—Another deep, profound cut in prices at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s. d31 d&wtf,

—Call at Spencer, Lehman & Co.'s for the Champion Iron Force Pump. nov7d&wtf

—What a wilderness must the man dwell in who has no friend.—[Beeks in National Weekly.

—You will get clean coal from J. W. Baker's Post Office Book store.—[Decatur Coal Co. tf

—Gamblers, flirts and sheep-killing dogs seldom reform their habits.—[Beeks in National Weekly.

—Bread, pies, cakes, fresh and nice. at Combs & Inman's, South Main street, always on hand. d22tf

—"None but the brave deserve the fair," and none but the brave can live with some of them.—[Artemus Ward.

—Oysters, restaurant goods, warm meals at all hours, cigars and tobaccos, at George Hauss' European restaurant. j3d1w

—Leave orders at the St. Nicholas hotel for the Citizens' baggage wagon. All calls promptly attended to. Telephone No. 45. j1d1y

—It is much easier to make that which is ugly still uglier than it is to improve that which is already handsome.—[Texas Siftings.

—Warm meals, all sorts of restaurant goods, clean, neat and wholesome, at Combs & Inman's restaurant South Main street. d22tf

—Isn't it a strange coincidence that a buckwheat cake and Rev. Dr. Talmage's mouth are exactly the same size?—[California Maverick.

—For five minutes yesterday there was no sign of any style of weather, and it was as silent as a church. It was studying what to do next.

—"Say, Jim, what is the difference between temptation and eternity?" "One is a wile of the devil, and the other is a devil of a wile."—[Ex.

—One has to know a woman's walk pretty well before he can tell by her limp whether it is rheumatism or tight shoes.—[Merchant Traveler.

—Russia has 33 400 doctors; just about enough to issue prescriptions for whiskey for the St. Johnnies in this country.—[California Maverick.

—"By George!" exclaimed a Frenchman the other morning. "I have slept sixteen hours. I went to bed at eight and got up at eight."—[Ex.

—J. Jacobs, the barber, still runs his elegant tonsorial parlors in the Haworth block Those desiring good work, should give him a call d24d12

—The wife of an Iowa editor recently eloped with a hotel man. Some people will do almost anything to get a square meal.—[Newman Independent.

—Read the advertisement of Decatur's new carpet factory, Martin Leippe, proprietor, where beautiful carpets are made to order on short notice. j25d&wtf

—You will always find Decatur coal at the North Water street coal yard. Orders will receive immediate attention. Telephone 139.—[DECATUR COAL Co. j3dtf

—John Young is the Decatur agent for the Remington Standard Typewriter. Call on him at Republican office for descriptive circulars, price and further information. d17d1m

—"As busy as a bee," means just about the right thing. The bee labors about three hours per day, and has a staving good time the other twenty-one —[Detroit Free Press.

—A young lady being told at a recent fire to stand back or else the hose would be turned on her, replied: "Well, I don't care; they are striped on both sides, anyhow.—[Hot Springs News.

—Subscribers to the DAILY REVIEW who fail to get their papers promptly delivered, will confer a favor upon us by reporting any delinquency at once to this office, either in person or by telephone. dtf

—A dog bit an Indiana man, last week, and went mad in four hours afterward. No wonder the dog went mad. We'd get mad, too, if we were fool enough to bite a Hoosier.—[Newman Independent.

—In all constitutional and blood diseases, loss of appetite and nervous irritation are prominent symptoms for which Nichols' bark and iron is the standard and infallible remedy. dec11d&w4w

—The only sure and reliable constitutional nervine and tonic for enfeebled constitutions and nervous debility is Nichols' Bark and Iron. It is infallible in its action and permanent in its effects. j5d&w4w

—If the sun rizes in the east and sets in the west, and the bull frogs sings sams in the marshes, and there ain't no pulling hair in the family circle, things are about az near rite az yu can git them.—[Josh Billings,

—Health is impossible when the blood is impure, thick, and sluggish, or when it is thin and impoverished. Under such conditions, boils, pimples, headaches, neuralgia, rheumatism, and one disease after another is developed Take Ayer's Sarsaparilla, and it will make the blood pure, rich, warm and vitalizing. j1d&w1w

—E. W. Chandler is an expert in repairing boots, shoes and slippers. A neat patch is a work of art, and Chandler knows how to put one on. Any kind of foot-wear made to order. Shop in P. Perl's block. dec6 12dth

FITS.—All fits stopped free by Dr Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvellous cures. Treatise and $2 00 trial bottle free to fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St. Phila., Pa., nov 9dw deed&w3m*

—Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is recommended by physicians of the greatest eminence on both sides of the Atlantic as the most reliable remedy for colds and coughs, and all pulmonary disorders. It affords prompt relief in every case. No family should ever be without it. jfd&w1w

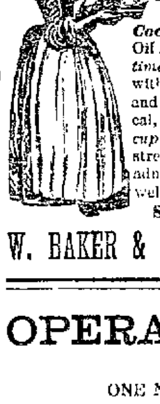
—An exchange says: "A Kentucky man recently wandered into church while service was being held." It is supposed that some Hallowe'en jokers had removed a lager beer sign and placed it over the door of the church. It is an outrage to fool a Kentucky man that way!—[Norristown Herald.

A Proposed Colony in Southwest Missouri on the Frisco Line.

Mr. George Lower, traveling agent of the St. Louis and San Francisco railway, with headquarters at Decatur, Illinois, is in the city, stopping at the Laclede hotel. He is accompanied by a committee representing a large colony in the state of Kentucky. The gentlemen composing the committee went out over the St Louis and San Francisco line last night to prospect for a location for their colony, either in southwest Missouri or Northwest Arkansas. Mr. Lower says his business as agent for the company has been very good during the past year, and he thinks there is a good prospect for a reasonably large emigration to the west and and southwest in 1886. He is widely known among railroad officials as a wide awake and effective railroad man. He also has a reputation of thoroughly understanding his business. His company speaks in the highest terms of him.—*St. Louis Republican*, 3d.

From the above it will be seen that Mr. Lower, so well known in Decatur, where he has resided a number of years, is steadily getting in his work, and his many friends will be pleased to know that he is duly appreciated. The 'Frisco line is to be congratulated upon having such an efficient traveling agent, and we doubt not that his faithful and successful labors will continue in the future to be duly recognized and appreciated by the powers that be, as they are now.—*Decatur Daily Republican.* The above complimentary notices of Mr. Lower are but simple justice to an energetic and efficient gentleman. He has been representing the popular 'Frisco line in this section for the past three years, and has unquestionably built up a good business for his road, and won laurels for his company as well as for himself.

MR. EDITOR—Many of your readers may be benefitted by the knowledge of such an excellent remedy as Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic which produces the most favorable results disorders of the liver, stomach and kidneys, and is a valuable remedy in dyspepsia; also, debility arising from malaria and other causes. It is a perfect tonic, appetizer, blood purifier, and a



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Warranted *absolutely pure Cocoa*, from which the excess of Oil has been removed. It has *three times the strength* of Cocoa mixed with Starch, Arrowroot or Sugar, and is therefore far more economical, *costing less than one cent a cup*. It is delicious, nourishing, strengthening, easily digested, and admirably adapted for invalids as well as for persons in health.
Sold by Grocers everywhere.
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Watch for the Grand Parade of

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PARADE AT NOON.

Reserved seats now on sale at Curtis & Co.'s. Reduced Prices: 25, 50 and 75 cents.

What Parents Fear.

Many persons, especially parents, object to many quack nostrums as likely to engender or encourage a love for strong drink. They are right. Better die of disease than of drunkenness. The use of Parker's Tonic does not involve this danger It not only builds up the system, cures all ailments of the stomach, liver and kidneys, but it stimulates without intoxicating and absolutely cures the appetite for liquor d28d&w1m

THE best on earth can truly be said of Grigg's Glycerine Salve, which is a sure, safe and speedy cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter, and all skin eruptions. Try this wonder healer. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. Sold by druggists.

OUR BARGAIN COLUMN.

WANTED.

WANTED—A good girl to do general house work. No one need apply unless they can furnish good references. Call at 505 West Prairie street.—[MRS. F. M. PRATT. j3d1wt

WANTED.—Parents, wards and guardians to know, a better investment can not be made than by giving your children a practical business education. They can never spend or lose it. The Central Business College, this city, offers facilities unsurpassed. d18d1m

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—L. L. Ferriss is going to Chicago to engage in the wholesale boot and shoe business and therefore offers for sale his house and lot, family driving horse, buggy, harness, safe, piano, side-board &c For prices inquire at his store, No. 148 E. Main and 117 N. Water Sts. n26dtf

FOR SALE—Choice residence lots in Gault's second addition. fronting on Broadway, Priest and Jackson streets, on easy terms. Apply to M. G. Patterson, 221 North Water St., up stairs. m28tf

FOR SALE,—A Forty-Acre Farm, three miles northwest of Sullivan, Moultrie county, Illinois. and one mile from Cushman Station. Good house and barn for tenant. Enquire of T. A. Pritchett & Co , Decatur. i30dtf

FOR SALE, A Fine Farm of 152¾ acres, one and a half miles southwest of LaPlace and three miles northwest of Lake City. Well tiled. and land new. A splendid bargain in this farm. Only $37.50 per acre. Call on T. A. Pritchett & & Co., Merchant street. s30d&wtf

FOR SALE.—A fine farm of 160 acres adjoining Newtonia, Newton county, Missouri. All in cultivation. Apply at 127 East Main street for particulars. j30dtf

FOR RENT,

FOR RENT.—Near the business part of town, a furnished parlor and bed room, suitable for two young gentlemen. Address box 124 j1d1w*

FOR RENT,—Two nice large rooms on ground floor, within two blocks of the postoffice, between North Water and North Main streets Inquire of Dr. Walston. j1d1w

TO RENT.—House of seven rooms and store room in same building; and for sale cheap, a $200 stock of restaurant goods in said room. Cheap for cash. Address R. H. Schroeder, Warrensburg, Ill. d30d6t*

FOR SALE OR RENT.—With or without engine and boiler. the building now used as a knitting factory by Alexander & Co. Possession given January 1st, 1886. Apply to S. K. Shaffer, Pratt & Co., or at the factory office, j1d1w*

MISCELLANEOUS.

COME, every one, and hail with joy, the Compound Oxygen. It will build up your nervous system and purify your blood, and cure all chronic diseases. Trial free. Orders for Magnetic belts and lung pads Oxygen office, Ullrich's block. Open from 9:30 o'clock to 12 o'clock and from 2:15 to 8.—[MRS. KATE CAMPBELL. j3d1wt

STOP that cough, or it will stop you. Ma c Snuff will do it. Just try a box. It is a dead shot on croup. Sold by druggists.—[A, Bradshaw, j1d1w

Hereafter I may be found at Esq. Stevens' office in Powers block on every Saturday, prepared to write pension papers and give advice in such matters.—[C. R. SPORE.

MAGIC SNUFF.—Latest and best. 1,000 boxes given away for only 20 cents each. For croup, cough, sore throat, hoarseness, also catarrh. Call on your druggist for it. It is positively reliable.—[A, Bradshaw. j1d1w

NO BOYCOTT IN MINE.—You can buy a Marble top bed room set all walnut, with bevel glass at F. Butts' Second Hand Store for $30; wood seat dining chairs, $2.50 per set; wash boilers, $1 00, with Eureka broom holder thrown in to every purchaser for one dollar or more. n 14d1yr

SAM LEE, 149 East Prairie, laundryman, charges 35 cents per dozen for collars; five cents a pair for cuffs; ten cents each for shirts, ten cents each for underwear, or two for fifteen tents, (20lm

STOVES—A large variety to be sold at wholesale prices, at Scovill's, the house furnisher, southeast corner of the park. 1ly

JACOB WILHELMY, the old reliable barber, has at his shop, south side old square, three barber chairs and as good workmen as can any where be found, Hair cutting and shaving in the best style. Try the balm roses for the skin, the most elegant preparation to use after shaving. j28dtf

DECATUR COAL.—Lookout for the bell team. Give your orders for Decatur coal to the agent of the bell team. Also stove wood and chunks. Yard 1205 North Church.—[J. B. EHRHART. n18dtf

LAUNDRIES—Hop Hong's laundries, No. 122 South Main street and Basement room, under Cheap Charley's clothing store on the corner of Merchant and Main. Hart's old stand Shirts, 10 cts; collars, 3 cts; cuffs, 5 cts a pair: underwear, 2 for 15 cts. Work every day. He has added to his laundries a splendid Steam Ironing Machine. Collars ironed for 3 cents each, and cuffs 5 cents per pair. 19m6

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The new, realistic, and emotional drama of English life, written by Mr. Robert Buchannan, and entitled

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75, 50 and 35 cents. The sale of seats begins Monday Morning, January 4th. Seats on sale at Curtis & Co.'s,

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GOING EAST.

No. 2 Mail .... 11 50 a. m.
No. 4 Columbus and Cincinnati Exp. 10 50 p. m.
No. 12 Freight .... 5 30 a. m.
No. 14 Freight .... 6 03 p. m.

ARRIVE FROM THE EAST.

No. 1 Mail .... 2 45 p. m.
No. 3 Express .... 4 00 a. m.
No. 11 Freight .... 8 00 p. m.
No. 13 Freight .... 9 00 a. m.
Nos. 3 and 4 daily, Decatur to Columbus and Cincinnati

Trains via the I. D. & S. Railway will leave Decatur at 11-50 a. m. and 10:50 p. m. Both trains connect at Indianapolis with all lines for the East. The 10:50 p. m. train will have

PULMAN SLEEPING CARS.

From Decatur through to Columbus, Ohio, via Panhandle route, arriving at Columbus at 11:10 next morning. This train will also have a

RECLINING CHAIR CAR

From Decatur to Cincinnati without change arriving at Cincinnati at 8:10 a. m.

Tickets, Berths, and Reclining Chairs can be secured at the Illinois Central office, in care of H. W. Shimer, ticket agent, or at city office, Prairie street, opposite postoffice.

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NORTHWEST.

No. 1 Mail .... 8 05 p. m.
No. 3 Mixed .... 6 40 a. m.
No. 13 Freight .... 10 20 a. m.

SOUTHEAST.

No. 2 Mail .... 10 42 a. m
No. 4 Mixed .... 10 05 p. m.
No. 14 Freight .... 1 55 p. m.
Nos. 5 and 6 daily between Decatur and Peoria.

CONNECTIONS.

At Peoria, in Union depot, for all points north and northwest.
Delavan, with C. & A. (Jacksonville division)
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Through tickets to all points north, east, south, and west. Baggage checked to destination
For rates, time, and all reliable information, apply to H. W. SHIMER, Agent.
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ILLINOIS CENTRAL R'Y.

Departure of Trains from Decatur:

GOING NORTH.
Dubuque and Sioux City Express ...... 12:40 a m
Accommodation .... 2:50 p m
Local Freight .... 4:15 p m
Chicago & St. Paul, Mail .... 1:40 a m

GOING SOUTH.
Texas and New Orleans Express .... 5:45 p m
St. Louis and Cairo Fast Mail .... 10:18 a m
Local Freight .... 8:45 a m
Accommodation .... 10:15 a m

Through tickets to all points on sale at all coupon stations. For rates, time tables tickets and through routes or connections call or write to W. H. SHIMER, Ticket Agent, Decatur.
A. H. HANSON, Gen Pass Agt, Chicago.
J. F MERRY, West. Pass Agt. Manchester, Iowa

W. ST. L. & P. R'Y.

GOING EAST.
No. 44, Atlantic Express .... 11:45 a m
" 42, Lightning Express .... 10:45 p m
The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:
Going East .... 7:30 a m
Going East .... 4:25 a m
Accom Express .... 2:55 p m

GOING WEST.
No. 43, Fast Line .... 4:45 a m
" 45, Jacksonville Accommodation ... 3:20 p m
" 47, Fast Mail .... 7:00 a m
The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:
Going West .... 12:25 p m

Chicago Division.

GOING EAST.
No. 42, Chicago Express .... 10:35 p m
" 44 Chicago Mail .... 11:40 a m
Local Freights .... 7:30 a m 5:00 p m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.
No. 2, St. Louis Express .... 12:15 a m
" 4, St. Louis Mail .... 11:59 a m

St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.
No. 5, Way Freight .... 8:10 p m
No. 3, St. Louis Express .... 4:30 a m
" 43 Fast Line .... 2:35 a m
Local Freight .... 5:45 a m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.
No. 2, Chicago Express .... 12:05 a m
" 44, Atlantic Express .... 11:35 a m
" 42, Lightning Express .... 10:30 p m
The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division
Going West .... 8:00 a m
Arrive from West .... 7:00 p m

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

GOING EAST.
Mail and Express arrives at .... 11:25 a
" " " leaves at .... 11:45 a m
Local Freight arrives .... 4:30 p m
" " leaves .... 5:00 a

GOING WEST.
Mail and Express arrives at .... 11:25 a
" " " leaves at .... 11:45 a
Local Freight arrives .... 8:30 p
" " leaves .... 5:30 a
D. H. CONKLIN, Gen'l Man

CHAMPAIGN AND HAVANA LINE.

C&H LINE

Train No. 1 arrives at Decatur at 10 o'clock a. m., departs at 2:30 p. m., reaching Urbana at 5:00 p. m., connecting at White Heath with train No. with through Kansas City coache, via Havana and Wabash. A. B. DUNNET, Agent.
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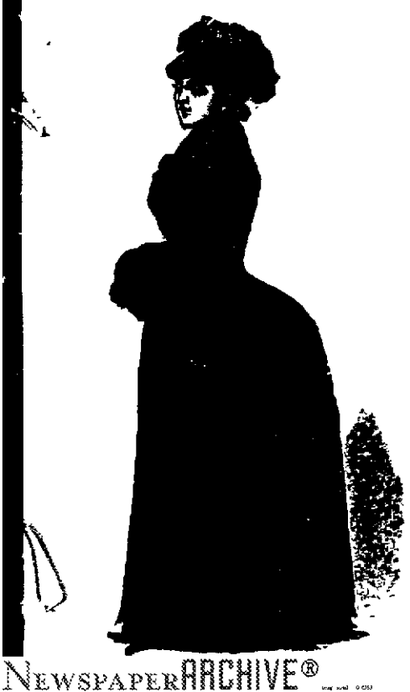

THE REVIEW

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 6 1886

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

—The doctors report but little sickness in this locality.

—James D. was the name of A F. Ross' late father, instead of Joseph D.

—There were three advance agents for theatrical troupes in the city yesterday.

—The tail of the cold wave finally did switch around and hit us a "swipe."

—At Fairbury the papers claim the roller skate craze has entirely died out.

—"Alone in London" at the opera house this evening. Every one who can should see it.

—Scarlet fever continues to cause the people of Jacksonville considerable uneasiness.

—Do not forget John Hatfield & Co.'s brands when you desire excellent flour. j6d6t

—The fire department boys say the new horse just purchased for the chemical is a daisy.

—The United States supreme and district and the appellate courts are in session at Springfield.

—A brick house at Streator has settled four inches by being undermined by coal operators.

—The members of the Turner society will hold their social masquerade at their hall this evening.

—A good many of the merchants are now busy invoicing their stock of goods. It is a tiresome task.

—Minstrel company at the opera house on Saturday evening. A first-class entertainment is promised.

—The number of police arrests in December was as large if not larger than any other month in the year.

—Before leaving for California. John Fitzgerald sold to Pat Flynn two houses on South Broadway street

—The county clerk of Vermillion county issued four hundred and thirty-three marriage licenses in 1884.

—Passenger traffic on the railroads has commenced picking up and there is further promise of increasing business.

—Decatur coal is the coal to buy first, last and all the time. No coal like it, and it is a home production j6d6

—The postmaster-general says that hereafter he will appoint no one to the railway mail service who is past thirty-five years.

—William Gephart, the carpenter, is utilizing his spare moments these wintry days putting up Humboldt goods—machines.

—There is a big and enthusiastic revival in progress at the Methodist church in Freeport, and many people are being converted.

—During the past year the Illinois Central people have removed eight thousand car loads of gravel from their pit at Kankakee.

—It is estimated that when completed, the Champaign water works will cost in the neighborhood of one hundred thousand dollars.

—The Ladies' Auxiliary to B. of L E., have postponed their festival which was to be given on January 7th, until some future time.

—The Hollywood children, well known in Decatur, are now at the head of a juvenile opera company, which embraces some splendid artists

—Frank Johnson, who was arrested on Monday evening for swindling Ross' clothing store will have a hearing in a few days. He is still in jail.

—Officer John Wise, who was recently laid off the police force on account of the dwindling appropriation, has gone to his home in Sangamon county.

—Sarah Freeland, who was declared to be insane a few days ago in the county court, will be taken to Jacksonville to-day and placed in the asylum.

—The Indianapolis, Bloomington & Western railroad company has ordered ten more large consolidated engines, which will weigh fifty five tons each.

—A neighborhood quarrel has led to the arrest of D. E. Yates and wife, and they will have a hearing at eight o'clock this morning for disturbing the peace.

—The proposed excursion to Springfield for the benefit of the roller skating enthusiasts, which was to take place to-morrow, has been postponed.

—The state prisoners in the county jail have been re-inforced in the past few days by two new recruits, and now there are twenty-one victims behind the bars.

—At the council meeting this evening the paving question will be a special order of business. It is estimated that there will be enough wind to sail a fleet of ships.

—The revenue collections in this district from August 11th, the date on which Collector Cooper took charge of the office, to January first, amount to $678,077.15.

—The Central passenger train from the north was about two hours late yesterday forenoon. An engine and baggage car brought the mails and papers down on time.

—The aperture in the ice man's countenance was extended latitudinally yesterday, in proportion to the contraction of the mercury in Mr. Fahrenheit's heat measurer.

—"Zozo, the Magic Queen" will be at the opera house on the evenings of January 11th and 12th. Many will remember this attractive piece, which drew so well last season and gave so much satisfaction to the large audience who witnessed it.

—Some grocery dealers abandoned their delivery wagons yesterday and resorted to the use of hand carts The work was executed quicker and more satisfactory in this way.

—Goodman's band and the opera house orchestra will go to Taylorville this evening and will give a grand concert. A number of their friends and admirers will accompany them.

—Big programme at the rink Thursday night. Recitations by Mrs. E B Dunning, and fancy skating by local celebrities. Ladies free the balance of the week, during the day. j6d2t

—A number of dairy men and butter makers of the state have their back up at the state board of agriculture, for allowing a display of butterine and oleomargarine at the Fat Stock show last November.

—What's the matter with the compulsory school law? If it were enforced in Decatur there would be fewer boys under the age of twelve years infesting the streets and growing into the ways of the wicked.

—Doug Morris is in trouble again This time it is with his wife, whom he threatened last evening, while in a drunken condition. She swore out a peace warrant and he was arrested and placed in jail to have a hearing to-day.

—The masquerade at the rink last evening drew out a large crowd of spectators and maskers. A number of pretty costumes were noticed, but the general taste ran to the comic order. Good music added to the pleasure of the occasion.

—Washington's birthday comes on Monday; St. Valentine's day on Sunday; April Fool's day on Thursday; Memorial day on Sunday; Fourth of July on Sunday; St. Patrick's day on Wednesday; Easter Sunday will be on the 25th of April.

—Officer Bailey and special officer Imboden last evening took into custody a well-known local celebrity, Bill Etheridge, the sweet singer. He was warbling with all the strength of his lungs, as is his custom when he is three sheets in the wind.

—The handsome invitations for the golden wedding of the late Horace Morgan and wife, which were printed prior to his death, have been sent out with a death notice of Mr. Morgan. The golden wedding anniversary was on January 4th

—The funeral of Miss Honora Ryan took place yesterday forenoon at ten o'clock from St. Patrick's Catholic church and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev Father Mackin and the remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

—Richard Trevelick, of Detroit, the labor orator, who has visited Decatur several times, will speak at the court house on Thursday evening, January 7. A general invitation to the public and especially the ladies By order of the committee of K. of L. d2t

—Conductor Horace Morgan has an elegant likeness of his baggage master, H. C. Porter, who is well known here. The artist caught a view of Mr. Porter as he was looking away in the distance The picture is pronounced first-class by all of his friends

—The Turners, of southern Illinois district will hold their "Bezirks Tasge Satzung" in this city on Saturday and Sunday, January 9th and 10th. Delegates will be present from Peoria, Pekin, Jacksonville, Decatur, Champaign and Danville.—[Bloomington Bulletin.

—Mrs. Henry Howell, of Cerro Gordo, died on Sunday and was buried Monday. Her demise was caused by consumption, a disease from which she has long been a sufferer. She had just returned from California, whither she went to seek relief from the fatal malady.

—This time a year ago everybody was talking of and visiting the great World's fair at New Orleans. There is now in progress in the Crescent city, a similar exposition, but it is seldom thought of by the northern people. In fact it is doubtful if half the people know it is going on.

—J. C. Stokes will sell at his residence, about four miles northeast of Warrensburg, on Wednesday, February 3rd, three head of horses, about fifty head of fat hogs, brood sows and shoats, two farm wagons, fifteen tons of hay, and a large quantity of farming implements and household goods.

—This winter has been an exceedingly favorable one to railroad men, whose positions generally expose them to the elements. It has also been a fortunate one for railroad managers, who do not have to see their earnings decreased by blockaded trains and costly accidents, due to snow and cold.

—John M. Miller, tax collector of South Wheatland township, filed his bond with the circuit clerk yesterday; it amounts to $19,500, and his bondsmen are Thomas H. Hill, Thomas M. Price and Yong Jones. After two weeks Mr Miller will be found at Elwin on Fridays, and at Millikin's bank on Saturdays.

—An engineer named Massy, who is said to have been a relative to Maxwell, the murderer of Preller, was mysteriously murdered at Belleville the other evening. The only clue was the footprint of a woman near where the body was found. The officers are at a loss to know where to commence work on the case.

—There will be a convention of engineers at Mattoon on Sunday, which will be a big affair. P. M. Arthur, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers of this country will be present, and deliver an address. A special train will pass down the P., D. & E. at 10:15 A. M., and will return about 5.50 P. M. All engineers are invited to be present.

—Yesterday Patrick Burns filed a petition in the county court asking for an inquisition into the sanity of his wife, Grace Burns, who is forty-five years old The hearing will be held on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. The parties live in Hickory township This will make the fourth woman who has been tried for insanity in this county within the past few weeks.

—On Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Brenck entertained a party of friends at their home on West William street, most of whom were members of the old Redotto club. Progressive euchre was the amusement of the evening. Mr. and Mrs H W. Bartholomew won the first prize, Mrs. Earnest Cook the second, and Mr Arthur Alexander and Miss Adele Shellabarger the third.

—The case of Charles Staines did not come up for trial yesterday and has not yet been set. He is in jail keeping company with Al McGoodwin. The two are under indictment together for stealing cattle. When the jury disagreed Staines succeeded in giving bail but McGoodwin was less fortunate and had to go to jail. He doubtless takes a good deal of satisfaction out of having Staines with him.

—The necessity of a horse to draw one of the hook and ladder trucks has frequently been demonstrated since the purchase of the chemical and hose wagon. These apparatuses can now reach a fire before the volunteer firemen can draw the ladder truck there by hand, and work is sometimes retarded for the want of this machine. It is important that it should be at a fire as early as any other portion of the department.

—The street paving question is an important one, and demands the careful consideration of the council In selecting a route to the depot they should choose one which will benefit the largest number of business men and at the same time work the least hardship to those property owners who are really unable to pay a large share of the expenses. The matter should be settled quickly, however, as the time will soon be here when the work should be commenced. It is hoped that some definite action will grow out of the meeting this evening, which is for the special purpose of talking street paving and trying to agree on a route.

—A Washington special to the Chicago Times of yesterday says that William H Smyser, of Champaign, Illinois, has been tendered a position as chief of a division in the treasury department. Mr. Smyser is one of the proprietors of The Champaign Times and of The Sullivan Progress, and has been a prominent worker in the democratic party for a number of years, having been chairman of his county committee, as well as having served on various district committees; and a few years ago was secretary of the State Democratic Press association He is thoroughly qualified to fill the position offered him; and should he accept, will do his duty faithfully and fully up to the Jeffersonian requirements. He was not a candidate for any position, and his appointment was probably more a surprise to him than to any one else The salary is but about $2,000 or $2,500 per year; and while he is financially able to reside in Washington without any salary; yet we hardly think he will accept the position. However, if he should, THE REVIEW wishes him well in the new work before him.

The Decatur Stage

The new Drama, "Alone in London," will be given at the opera house this evening, with Miss Cora Tanner as the leading lady. She is supported by a company of fine artists, among whom is noticed Belle Archer, who has been one of the leading Hazel Kirke's of the country during the long run of that successful drama. The new drama is highly complimented by the leading papers of the country and Miss Tanner's acting is superb. Some beautiful scenery is used in the production of the play, and the price of admission has been placed at 35, 50 and 75 cents.

Speaking of Baird's minstrels to be here Saturday evening, the Toronto Mail says: "Another crowded house greeted the return of the old favorites, Baird's minstrels, last night It is a grand array of talent in the minstrel line with bright features enough to endow half a dozen ordinary troupes." Prices, 25, 50 and 75 cents.

The Philadelphia Ledger says: "We can cheerfully commend "Zozo" for it is a clean, bright production full of funny sayings and doings, happily interspersed with poetry and music, and a series of stage pictures of exceptional beauty and brilliancy, and a company largely composed of attractive ladies who appear modest and pretty, and do nothing to offend good tastes." Coming on the 11th and 12th. Look out for "ad." to-morrow morning.

Found Dead in His Bed.

Yesterday morning James C. Kennedy, of Marrowbone township, Moultrie county, was found dead in his bed at his home four miles north of Bethany. He visited that town on Monday and was well and hearty at the time. Returning home he ate a hearty supper and went to bed as usual in good spirits, and was found yesterday morning as stated. Mr Kennedy was born in Wilson county, Tennessee, January 8, 1825, and moved to Moultrie county with his parents in 1828, residing there until the time of his death. He was married in July 1849 to Rebecca Livesay, and nine children was the result of the union. Mr. Kennedy was a whig, politically, and subsequently became a republican. For many years past he has been a faithful member of the Presbyterian church at Bethany. An inquest on the remains was held yesterday afternoon. Mr. Kennedy was highly respected in the neighborhood in which he lived.

PERSONAL

—Ed Cackley, of Clinton, is in the city.

—Mayor Shinn, of Sullivan, was in the city yesterday.

—Mrs. L. A. Smiley, mother of Mrs. A. S Morgan, is again ill.

—Mrs. F. W. Miller, mother of Mrs. Fred Wismer, is quite sick.

—Mr. W. T. Evans returned to Bloomington yesterday afternoon.

—Ed. Winegarten and his mother have returned from a visit to Macon.

—E. Hampton, of No. 141 West Main street, visited Bethany yesterday.

—Mr. Isaac Mayer, of Sullivan, transacted business in the city yesterday.

—Ex-Sheriff Joe Ator, of McLean county, was in the city yesterday, on business.

—Elmer Groves, of Linn & Scruggs', is visiting relatives at Charleston.

—Ed Button, foreman of the Wabash shops at Forrest, was in the city yesterday.

—Mrs. John McGunnigle, of 639 East Condit street, is very seriously ill with pneumonia.

—Henry Sites and family have removed to Humboldt, Nebraska, where he formerly resided.

—Miss Ella Bundy, of Salina, Kansas, is in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. Einstein.

—Mrs. Milton Trotter is ill, having been stricken with neuralgia of the heart a few days ago.

—Dr. Carr, of Argenta, has been ill for four or five weeks and not able to be at his store.

—Tom Bivans, the excursion agent, left for the west yesterday with a party of land seekers.

—James Hughes left for Columbus last evening, in the interest of Chambers, Ewing & Quinlan.

—Mr. L L. Ferriss, of Chicago, is in the city looking after business matters in which he is interested.

—Attorney Mills, of Decatur, spent yesterday in Sullivan. He has five cases in the Moultrie county court.

—Miss Etta Hale and her mother went to Morrisonville yesterday afternoon to attend the wedding of a friend.

—J. L Beveridge, of Sullivan, visited his son, Roy, who runs the Globe restaurant on East Cerro Gordo, yesterday.

—Mrs. Robert Burns and son, George, have returned from Springfield, where they were spending the holidays.

—Mr. M. Shuloff, a dry goods merchant of Mattoon, is visiting his friend, M. Einstein, the boot and shoe salesman.

—Col. and Mrs. A. C. Waterhouse are at home from New Orleans, where they spent the holiday season very pleasantly.

—Miss Katie Allsop returned yesterday morning from Effingham, and will resume her studies at the Musical college.

—S. E. Batchelder and daughter, of Illini township, were in the city yesterday, and were guests of the Palace hotel.

—Mr and Mrs P. Prey returned to Taylorville yesterday afternoon. They have been visiting in the city for a week past.

—Charles Holloway, who has been employed at the Wabash shops as tinner, removed yesterday with his family to Illiopolis.

—Mrs. Dr. Walston is at home from Vermillion, Edgar county, where she has been for several days past visiting her aged mother.

—John Fitzgerald left yesterday for National City, California, where he will go to work on the National and Sante Fe railroad.

—Mrs. Ed. Gay, who has been visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs. Culp, returned to her home in Salina, Kansas, yesterday afternoon.

—John Gallagher, a Wabash fireman between Litchfield and St. Louis, has resumed his run after a visit with friends in this city.

—Peter Hickey is home from Gibson City, where he disposed of L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s branch stock of boots and shoes. Peter will go to Chicago in a few days.

—Peter Perl puts in his spare time arranging music for the Y. M. C A. orchestra. Peter is quite a musician and an enthusiastic lover of the harmony of sounds.

—R. A. Miller, a prominent farmer of Moultrie, was in the city last evening on his way home from Bloomington, where he had been to attend his mother's funeral.

—Miss Delia Gabbert, of Long Creek township, returned home yesterday from Independence, Kansas, where she has been visiting for a month past with relatives.

—F. E. Mills, representing the "Zozo" company, was in the city yesterday making the preliminary arrangements for the appearance of that troupe in this city.

—Wm. Fitmer and Will Ansley, of Bloomington, both passenger conductors on the Chicago and Alton railroad, were in the city yesterday visiting with Ed Wills.

—C. L. Wood, of Nashville, is in the city on a visit to Captain John A. Barnes. He formerly resided here and was in business on East Eldorado street. He is now a passenger conductor on the Louisville and Nashville railroad.

—John Somners, of the New Deming Exchange, now wears the handsome diamond ring formerly owned by Charles Lowry. It was raffled off the other evening and John and S. S. McKay held the lucky number together. The latter sold out for thirty-five dollars.

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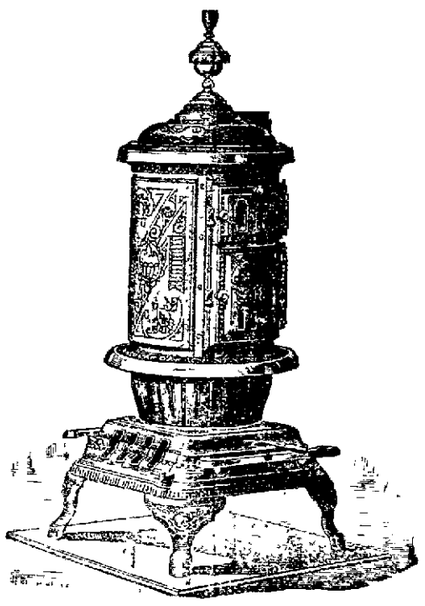

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EDITORIAL NOTES.

Snow in the northwest is blocking the trains.

THE Vandalia paper mill company has made an assignment.

A LIQUOR-DEALER at Chatanooga has failed. Strange things will happen sometimes.

SENATOR EVARTS made a speech at a banquet at Boston, the other evening, and the Globe of that city says: "For an orator who gets away off into the suburbs of the language, where horse-cars do not connect but once an hour, commend us to Senator Evarts."

FOUR cadets at the naval academy at Annapolis are to be court-martialed in a few days for a gross and unprovoked assault upon a fellow cadet. It strikes us that it might be well for Uncle Sam to avoid any trouble with foreign powers until he is able to manage his naval cadets. There appears to be a want of discipline somewhere.

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Friends Creek.

—Dickey has secured the Central school for the summer term.

—Mr. Lou Dreke drew a $3.00 pair of shoes from the free gift distribution, of Gerber and Garber's, at Argenta.

—The teachers at the Central school was agreeably surprised on New Years' day by the following visitors: Misses Mary, Anna and Hattie Litchenberger, Nellie Vulgamott, Eva Scott and Mr. John Scott.

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Looking Well.

Slimpkins, of Chicago, meets Fatkins of Covington, who is just back from Leadville, Colorado.

Slimpkins—Hello, old boy! You are looking well and must have been living very high of late.

Fatkins—Yes; the altitude of Leadville is about seventeen thousand feet above tide-water.—[Cincinnati Sam.

In Bed All the Time with 'Em.

Chintz—"Are you much of a hand for mathematics, Colonel?"

Rathbone—"In bed almost all the time with 'em, sir. They make my legs so stiff I can't walk.—[Tid-Bits.

Latest from the Front.

DECEMBER 30, 1885.—In Chicago we are doing business on spring stock only, in our wholesale business there, and not moving any goods from Decatur to Chicago. We still have $35,000 worth of boots and shoes to be closed out at retail in Decatur, and our desperate sale therefore cannot close, until this stock is all sold, which must be accomplished by March 1st. Glad to give everybody the benefit.

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A Soft Thing.

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Railroads Blockaded by Big Drifts—The Storm Extends to Kansas, Colorado and New Mexico.

RAIN IN THE EAST, SNOW IN THE WEST.

TYRONE, Pa., Jan. 5.—Bald Eagle Creek and the Little Juniata River overflowed yesterday and flooded the southeastern end of the town. The stores and dwellings on Main street and Juniata streets are three feet deep in water and much of West Tyrone is inundated. Twenty-five families deserted their homes and had no time to remove their household effects. The tenements of the Cambria Iron Company at Birmingham, three miles from Tyrone, are all submerged and their occupants driven out. All the collieries in the vicinity of Shenandoah were compelled to suspend operations at noon yesterday owing to the water.

WILLIAMSPORT, Pa., Jan. 5.—Heavy landslides have occurred near Montgomery, east of here, in consequence of the rains. The Susquehanna is rising rapidly, and a big flood is inevitable.

EMPORIUM, Pa., Jan. 5.—Heavy rains for the past two days and large quantities of snow in the timbered hills have conspired to produce the most violent flood known in many years along the Driftwood and Sinnamahoning creeks. Millions of logs have broken from their fastenings and are going down the swollen rivers at a terrific rate. It is said the loss to lumbermen will approach $3,000,000. At this place there is over two feet of water in many of the streets. All telegraphic communication to the east is lost, and trains on the Philadelphia & Erie Railroad are obliged to flag their way east. Reports from Cameron state that the greater part of that place is under water, and residents are in great fear lest their houses be swept away. Many residences had to be vacated. A million feet of logs were torn loose and swept down Hunt's Run. Saw-mills and dams in various places along the creeks are much exposed and in imminent danger of being carried away. The water is well up in Driftwood, where considerable damage has been done.

OMAHA, Neb., Jan. 5.—A severe snowstorm has raged here since Friday night, ceasing yesterday forenoon. The amount of snow exceeds that of any storm for several years. Passenger trains on all the roads are seriously interfered with, except those from the East, and on the Western roads all the freight trains are stalled. The street cars have not run since Saturday, and business is seriously affected. Reports from the Wyoming and Western Nebraska cattle country announce great suffering and loss among the cattle on the ranches.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 5.—The overland trains are delayed on account of the snow west of here. Trains were made up on the Santa Fe and Union Pacific in western Kansas yesterday to bring east the passengers on the blockaded through trains. Through the cattle ranges of the Rocky Mountain region the storm is said to have been extremely severe.

From Missouri River one hundred and eighty miles west the snow blockade is reported to be the worst ever known. Railroad cuts twenty feet deep are packed. All the branches of the Burlington are closed for ten days. The temperature in Eastern Kansas and Nebraska is mild.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 5.—At Eau Claire, Wis., a severe snow-storm is prevailing. Two feet of snow has fallen and a brisk wind is drifting it in all directions, and the loggers are likely to get snowed under. Thirty inches are reported to have fallen at Ashland and Phillips, on the Wisconsin Central.

Dispatches from La Crosse, Phillips and other points in Western and Northern Wisconsin report one of the heaviest snowstorms known for years. In many places fifteen inches of snow has fallen and the storm shows no signs of abating.

Travel is greatly impeded at Minneapolis, Minn. The snow is drifted in places to a depth of three and four feet. The Manitoba & Northwestern trains are on time.

OWATONNA, Minn., Jan. 5.—For twenty-four hours a terrific snow-storm has prevailed, falling to the depth of three feet and drifting to the depth of seven and eight feet. All trains have been delayed. Several trains are snow-bound at this place. On account of no snow falling previous to this very little wood has been brought to the city and a fuel famine is feared, as roads have to be shoveled for teams and drift full again in a few minutes.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Jan. 5.—A special announces a big rise of the Warrior River. It has risen sixty feet at Tuscaloosa; at Greensboro six and three-quarter inches of rain fell in eighteen hours. Nearly all the railroads in the State suffered some damage, but the delays were only for a few hours.

A Strike Probable.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The cigar-makers in this city feel confident that a strike will be decided upon to resist reductions. The International Union has over $70,000 as a strike fund, and will be able to support for a long time those of its members who may be called out without appealing to other labor organizations for aid. The members of the Cigar-makers' Progressive Union, it is said, will also go on a strike as soon as the Internationals do, if not sooner, and the two unions will co-operate in the struggle.

Tom Keene Out of Danger.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 5.—Thomas W. Keene, the tragedian, who was stricken with paralysis Sunday night, was unable to appear at Coates' Opera House last night. The opinion of physicians and those cognizant of the case is that he will be unable to fill his engagement this week. The attending physician reports him as some better, and the immediate danger is passed. The case is pronounced one of motor paralysis of the right side.

Killed at a Prayer-Meeting.

IRONTON, O., Jan. 5.—While a prayer-meeting was in progress Sunday at Indian Run, Ky., Charles McAllister and Charles Martin became involved in a quarrel. McAllister stabbed Martin fatally and escaped.

Hydrophobia in Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 5.—Mrs. Marie Lucht, aged sixty-seven years, died of hydrophobia early yesterday morning, making five persons dying from that disease in this city during the past two months.

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ANARCHY IN BURMAH.

Dakoits Plundering the Villages—General Prendergast's Advance.

LONDON, Jan. 5.—A recent dispatch from Rangoon says that both Upper and Lower Burmah are now infested with Dakoits, who are overruning whole districts. In Upper Burmah, particularly, they are burning and pillaging numberless villages. The poor people are flying to the larger towns for refuge. The garrison at this place is almost denuded of troops in order to meet the demands of the army of occupation, and it is still impossible to supply all the men needed to maintain order in the conquered country. A large force of Ghoorkas is wanted to cope with the Dakoits successfully. Many of those who most loudly called for the annexation of Upper Burmah a short time ago believe now that such a policy will prove disastrous.

The steamer Hankow was to sail from Portsmouth, Eng., on Saturday last with 1,000 officers and men, the third draft of the 10,000 men to reinforce the British army in India. The steamer Decean is to leave on the 13th inst. with 1,000 more men, and the steamer Euphrates on the 19th with a similar number of troops.

General Prendergast, commander of the British expedition in Burmah, has arrived with his force at Bhamo, 150 miles north of Mandalay, and met with a cordial reception from the Burmese and Chinese merchants. A strong force of British troops will garrison Bhamo.

BOLD BURGLARS.

They Blow Up a Big Safe in the Quincy Market Building at Boston, and Nearly Demolish the Ancient Structure.

BOSTON, Jan. 5.—At midnight a heavy explosion shook the great Quincy market building on North and South Market streets. Passers-by saw the windows and a portion of the wall of the second story fly into the street, and an alarm of fire was sent out. The firemen and police found that the explosion was caused by burglars who had been operating upon the great safe of the Ames Plow Company, which occupies the whole second story of the block. The explosion was doubtless much greater than the robbers anticipated. The doors of the safe were blown off, and great damage was done to the interior of the building. The interior of the safe had been stripped of all valuables. A large amount of money and securities are always on deposit there. Two policemen reached the building within a moment after the explosion, but saw no one leave the place. It is believed that the robbers are still concealed somewhere in the structure and search is being made for them. It is impossible to estimate the loss.

Good Times in Sight.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The amount of "new money" which comes out at the opening of the new year from the payment of dividends, interest, etc., is unusually large this year, and it is estimated at about one hundred million dollars. The fact that a large part of this is sure to find its way back to Wall street inspires most all the dealers in bonds and stocks with a confident feeling, and they anticipate plenty of business during the coming months. Business in all branches opened to-day with a buoyant feeling, and winter trade never promised better. The clothing trade is the dullest because of the spring-like warmth prevailing.

Extorted $15,000 at the Pistol Point.

GALENA, Ill., Jan. 5.—Richard Magoon, of Scales Mound, in this county, was committed to jail on Saturday last at Farmington, Wis., on the charge of having forced Hon. Henry T. Magoon, ex-Congressman of the Third Wisconsin District, at the point of a pistol, to sign a note payable to the order of the former for fifteen thousand dollars. The occurrence, it is alleged, took place in the private room of the ex-Congressman, at his bank in Darlington, on Tuesday last, the assailant demanding, in addition to the note which he had obtained, the sum of one thousand dollars in cash. Richard Magoon claims to be the son of the father of ex-Congressman Magoon by a second wife.

Fire Losses for 1884.

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.—The *Daily Commercial Bulletin* estimates the losses by fire in the United States and Canada in December at $9,200,000, and the aggregate loss in 1885 at $94,200,000, or $15,000,000 less than in 1884. The *Bulletin* gives a list of 168 fires of $10,000 and upwards in December, including seventeen fires where the reported loss was $100,000 and more. The last six months of the year have shown a much lighter loss than the first six months, thereby enabling the insurance companies to come out even and in some instances to make a profit on the business of 1885.

Murderous Hunters.

ROCKFORD, Ill., Jan. 5.—Gus Johnson, residing in the northwest part of the township, ordered three men off his premises on Saturday. They refused to go and some loud talk followed. As the invaders started to leave they shot Johnson and his two daughters, one five and the other twelve years of age. The shots took effect in the face, head and limbs. The police have a description of the offenders, but thus far they have not been captured. They are supposed to be from this city, and were hunting.

A Peddler Murdered.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 5.—A special to the *Post-Dispatch* from Little Rock, Ark., states that a peddler named Spalding from Indianapolis, Ind., had been murdered near Springfield, Mo. He had several hundred dollars in his possession when he left Springfield, and it is supposed that he was murdered for his money.

Thought to Have Drowned Himself.

CHICAGO, Jan. 5.—Mr. Charles H. Curtis, an old citizen and formerly a man of wealth, was found drowned in the lake in the southern part of the city Sunday. Recent financial reverses are supposed to have had such a depressing effect upon him, that he took his own life.

Montana's Cattle Trade.

HELENA, M. T., Jan. 5.—A review of the cattle trade of Montana shows that during the past year that Territory received one hundred thousand head by trail from the South, and the Northern Pacific brought in twenty-seven thousand calves from the East and thirty-eight thousand from the West.

Short in His Accounts.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 5.—J. W. McCarthy, clerk of the State Supreme Court, sailed secretly for Honolulu Saturday, and a shortage of over twelve thousand dollars has been discovered in his accounts.

The Dirty Dandruff.

Dandruff is dirty and disagreeable in every way. It soils the clothing continually, and is accompanied by a hardly less annoying sensation of itching. The scalp is diseased. There is nothing in the world so thoroughly adapted to this trouble as Parker's Hair Balsam. It cleanses and heals the scalp, stops the falling hair and restores its original softness, gloss and color. Its notably high, highly perfumed, an elegant dressing. Very economical, as only a small occasional application keeps the hair in perfect condition. d23d&w1m

BITS OF INFORMATION.

The Adjutant-General of Indiana reports forty-seven militia companies in that State, with an average membership of fifty men.

Mrs. Charles Nappall, Jr., of Lamar, Mo., disrobed and threw her clothing into a well, Monday, and leaped in after. She was taken out dead.

A large clock company has decided to locate its works at Rock Island, Ill., and will occupy the buildings erected by the Milan Watch Company.

C. Lyon, dry-goods merchant at Hot Springs, Ark., has failed. His liabilities are estimated at $22,000; assets unknown. Lyon has disappeared.

Ludwig Montzinger, one of the German Opera Company violinists at New York, has fallen heir to $43,000 in cash by the death of his father in Dresden.

A monument is to be erected at Darlington, Wis., to the memory of the soldiers and sailors of the county who lost their lives in the war of the rebellion.

The curious fact is stated that on New Year's Day, at Prairieville, Mich., a farmer named Pennel plowed twelve acres of land, finding frost at only one spot in the field.

The grand jury at San Francisco found an indictment for felony against George W. Tyler, the leading counsel for Sarah Althea Hill, who claimed to be the wife of ex-Senator Sharon.

A proposed railway from Zanesville to Marion, O., ninety miles in length, for which papers of incorporation have been secured, will, it is claimed, make the shortest line to Chicago by forty miles.

At Barnip's Corners, Mich., early Monday morning, a general store and two buildings were destroyed by fire, and Hardy's Hotel was badly scorched. The loss is about $15,000, with insurance of $9,000.

The Government of India has introduced in the Legislative council a bill imposing a tax of two per cent. on the incomes of classes hitherto exempt, to cover a deficit of 12,000,000, caused chiefly by military preparations.

All the personal property on the Shipland (Miss.) plantation of W. K. Ingersoll has been attached to satisfy judgments in favor of persons in Detroit. He places his liabilities at ninety-five thousand dollars and his assets at one hundred and fifty-two thousand dollars.

Mrs. Olr, Superintendent of the Soldiers' Orphans' Home at Normal, Ill., denies that the children of colored soldiers have been refused admission. There are already three colored children in the institution, and at no time has the color line been drawn.

The Governor of Arizona reports that Territory as paying ten per cent. interest upon warrants for $120,948, and the indebtedness of the several counties is $1,131,625. When all the appropriations of the last Assembly are provided for, the Territorial debt will be $700,000.

An audacious robbery occurred in a wholesale house in Boston, where a stranger came up from the basement, at the opening of business, with a gripsack containing five hundred dollars' worth of silk, and escaped without being suspected. He had spent the night in the building.

Big Coal-Land Purchase.

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan. 5.—The North Chicago Rolling-Mill Company has purchased one thousand acres of the most valuable coal land in the Connellsville region, near Uniontown. It is understood the price paid was $250,000. It is the intention of the company to erect seven hundred ovens and make its own coke in the future.

THE HAPPINESS OF ELYSIUM.

Elysium was the name given by the ancient Greeks to the resting place of the righteous dead, where they should enjoy eternal peace and happiness. None but the pure in heart, the truthful and the generous could tread the asphodel meadows of of the Elysian fields and it was a land of everlasting delight. When, therefore, Mrs. Kate Sherman, of Streator, Ill., said recently that she had been in Elysium, though of course she spoke figuratively, it argued that some great good fortune and joy had come to her. And such, indeed, was the truth. Mrs. Sherman tells how it was in this way:

"I have suffered from inflammatory rheumatism for more than thirty years. Heretofore the pain would succumb to the application of hot wet flannel, but at my last attack circumstances had conspired to aggravate the disease, and I became helpless. My hands and feet were swollen enormously, and I suffered almost mortal agony. My physician brought me a bottle of Athlophoros. After taking the third dose I was in Elysium, and was free from pain. By the time I had taken a bottle and a half I felt so wonderfully improved that I discontinued the medicine. I have an ungovernable dislike to all medicine, but I will say that Athlophoros probably saved my life, as I was running down rapidly, and could not have endured the pain much longer. It afforded me the only relief I ever experienced except from hot water, and that had failed me."

The Rev. Samuel Porter, of Crete, Ill., says of the effect of Athlophoros upon his wife:

"Mrs. Porter was very much benefited by the first bottle. Before she commenced taking it she could not walk, she was so badly afflicted with rheumatism, but she was soon able to walk. She sleeps well. Mr. John Hews, our neighbor, was very badly off with the rheumatism last winter, and was not able to work or even to get out of his room. One bottle of Athlophoros cured him, but he has to keep it by him to take when he feels his old difficulties."

Another clergyman, the Rev. C. Hartley, of Huntley, Ill., gives this as his experience with the remedy:

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A. M. Blakney, who lives at the corner of Union and Green streets, Decatur, Ill., only confirms the general testimony to the value of Athlophoros when he says:

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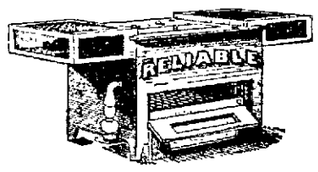

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